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In re the Application of: NISHIUCHI, Takeshi et al.

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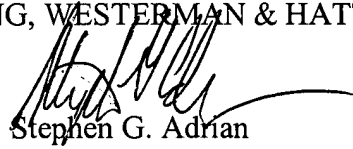
Sir:

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Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

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